

## NEWS NOTES FROM TRINITY COLLEGE

Infant Son of Professor Wooten Dies on Night of Christening.

Y. M. C. A. HELPS OUT IN JAPAN

Lillian Stewart Memorial Hall Is Dedicated—New Monthly Magazine Appears.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
DURHAM, N. C., November 8.—Scarcely has the college community ever been so shocked as it was last Saturday, when the news spread rapidly over the campus that the infant son of Professor and Mrs. John C. Wooten had been found dead in his cradle. The circumstances of the death were peculiarly pathetic. The child was scarcely three months old. A party of special friends of the family had been invited to his christening. Just at the end of an especially happy occasion in the form of a dinner for those who were to officiate at his christening, Mrs. Wooten went to awake the child to put on his christening robes. She found him dead. The baby had been unusually well for the past several days, and there was no indication at all that he was sick. A physician was immediately summoned, but nothing could be done to resuscitate the child. The news spread rapidly over the campus, and the entire community sorrowed with Professor and Mrs. Wooten, who have been residents on the campus for only a year. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the home, on Guest Street. Rev. M. Bradshaw, pastor of Memorial Church, Headmaster H. M. Morris, of Trinity Park School, and Dr. Kilgo conducted the services. Several college students sang with much impressiveness, and the services were full of pathos. The little child was then carried to the City Cemetery, where it was buried on the college lot. The death was very pathetic, the circumstances being so strange and unusual.

**Library Association.**  
The North Carolina Library Association will hold its fourth annual meeting in Greensboro November 12th and 13th, and Trinity College will likely be represented by Librarian Joseph P. Breedlove. This association was organized in Greensboro May 14, 1904, and has since that time held meetings in Charlotte, Raleigh and Asheville. The organization seems to be doing a good work.

It has under way now the work of publishing a history of every library in the State. Trinity has sent in data for the history of her library. It is also the purpose of the association to do all in its power to promote interest in libraries in North Carolina, to encourage the establishment of new libraries, to bring together the library workers of the State, and to seek to influence library workers to adopt the best methods and systems for classifying books, etc.

President Kilgo and Professor E. C. Brooks, of the Department of Education, left a few days ago for Chattanooga, Tenn., where they go to represent Trinity in the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges. They will be absent several days. Before returning Dr. Kilgo will visit some conferences in South Carolina and Georgia.

**News From Japan.**  
Mr. L. E. Blanchard, chairman of the missionary department of the Young Men's Christian Association, received a few days ago a letter from Mr. T. Kugimiyu, who is now in Hiroshima, Japan, thanking Mr. Blanchard for a handsome purse sent by the local association to Mr. Kugimiyu to assist him in his work in Japan. Mr. Kugimiyu will be remembered by students of this college during the years of 1899 to 1903 as one of the most prominent and intelligent Japanese students Trinity has ever had. While he was liked by all students and all in the community, and greatly attached himself to the entire college. He is now one of the leading ministers in the Japanese Conference, and is doing a great work among his own people. The notice in the college papers of his death every year to assist him in carrying on his work.

**Memorial Hall Dedicated.**  
News was received here a few days ago of the dedication in Kobe, Japan, of the Lillian Stewart Memorial Hall. This hall is named in honor of a Trinity woman, Miss Lillian Bridges, who married Professor S. A. Stewart, also a Trinity graduate, and who went with Mr. Stewart to Japan. Professor Stewart is still a member of the faculty of Palmore Institute. Mrs. Stewart died a year later, and this hall is built in her honor.

One of those present at the time writes about the occasion, and says, among other things, that "this is the first Trinity sacrifice in Japan." Old students will remember with much pleasure both Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, who were most popular students while in college, and were beginning to accomplish much in Japan. Professor Stewart is still a member of the faculty of Palmore Institute, and is doing a great work.

**New Monthly Appears.**

The November number of the Trinity Archive, Trinity's monthly publication, has come from the press. With the exception of a very few typographical errors, which seem to creep in on all publications of this sort more or less, the issue is far better than any issue that has come out in some time. Certainly it is better than the last issue, which contains many articles of much interest, and reflects much credit on its contributors and editors. The table of contents is as follows:

"On the Faust, or Stephen Phillips and J. Gwynne Carr," by W. H. W.; "The Song That Lived," by E. H. Spencer; "Charles Eliot Norton," by Pearl Brinson; "Some Phases of Ruskin's Life and Works," by Claude Flowers; "The Song of the Loom," by E. S. McIntosh; "Humorous Sideglances on the Courts and Lawyers of a Century Ago," by G. M. Daniel; "Big Bill Pruitt's Trial," by R. L. Ferguson; "The Spirit of Autumn," by Mary Loomis.

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Smith: "Mr. Crowe's Career," by Claude West. The editorial department, Wayside Wares, and editor's table are all well represented.

The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club, Trinity's literary organization, was held last night in the hall in Duke Building, and one of the best meetings the club has ever had took place. A most interesting and highly instructive program was well carried out. Seven new members were taken in at the meeting. They were as follows: Mrs. J. C. Wooten, Durham; Claude and Walter West, Wadesboro; G. M. Daniel, Roanoke Rapids; W. M. Marr, Bryson City; J. N. Cole, Raleigh; and A. M. Proctor, Huntsville, Ala. Refreshments were served, and the members had a most excellent time until a late hour.

## GOV. GUILD IS TO UNVEIL MONUMENT

Takes Place at Newbern on Wednesday—Old Swords Are Found.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NEWBERN, N. C., November 8.—The official vote for Craven county gives Bryan 1,323; Taft, 449; Kitchen, 1,526; Cox, 316. For Congress: Thomas, 1,521; Hill, 350. For House: E. M. Green, 1,521; George Green, 321. For Senate: Ormond, 1,521; Burton, 1,523; Wooten, 344; Thompson, 249. The county commissioners, sheriff, register of deeds, treasurer, etc., were elected by majority running from 954 to 1,029. The majority of Congressman Thomas over Hill in the county was 1,171, and his majority in the whole district, by counties, was 4,723. Hill only carried Sampson, with a majority of 969. Thomas carrying all the other counties in the district.

Considerable quantities of oysters are now coming into the market. The law against gathering in the public beds expired on November 1st, and the price locally at once fell from 50 cents per quart to 25 and 30 cents. The prices on the boats are from \$1 per bushel, for the very largest, to 45 cents for smaller grades.

**Found Old Swords.**

A few days ago, in looking through the garret of a house, Miss Alice Duffy, on George Street, discovered two swords. The house was used by the Federal troops during the war, and the swords have likely been there since that time. They were in good condition, and on one was "U. S. J. H. E. S. Mfg. Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass." On the other, "U. S. N. G. N. R. Arms Cutlery Co., 157."

**To Unveil Monument.**

On Wednesday of this week Governor Guild, of Massachusetts, and a large party will be here to unveil the Massachusetts monument in the Federal cemetery. They will be in or more in the party, and the monument will be unveiled by Mrs. Dugan, who is a native of Newbern, her parents both dying here during the war from yellow fever. Newbern will likely turn out in full force and do all possible for the entertainment of the guests. The monument is a very fine one, costing some \$10,000.

Mr. U. S. Mace is building a brick building near the foot of Middle Street to replace the old wooden buildings recently torn down. The brick building will contain three stories, and will be quite an addition to that part of the town, as nearly all the buildings on the west side of the street are of wood.

**Wall for Jail.**  
A brick wall, seven feet high, is being erected in the rear of the jail. In one corner of the lot a brick stable will be built and iron gates placed between the jail and courthouse, so that, if necessary, no entrance can be made in the rear of the jail. Most of the yard in the rear of the jail has been concreted. The courthouse and jail are at present two of the nicest structures, with the neatest yards, to be found in town.

**Got Dollar Back.**  
Blind Man Johnson had the dollar which was fleeced from him recently, by giving him a certificate on a New York clock company. Instead of a dollar bill, returned to him by the clock company. In some way the clock company had the notice in a paper about the matter, and sent a letter to the paper, inclosing a dollar bill and expressing their regret that their certificates should be used to fleece a blind man out of his hard earned money.

The Craven County Teachers' Association met yesterday, the chief matter being the address by Dr. Charles Duffy, on "Tuberculosis and Its Prevention."

## RAILROAD MEN IN ANNUAL SESSION

Meeting in Raleigh Elects All Officers for the Coming Year.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
RALEIGH, N. C., November 8.—The annual meeting and banquet of the Raleigh Division, No. 264, Order of Railway Conductors, in which the Southern, Seaboard Air Line and Norfolk and Southern Roads are represented in a membership of eighty men, was held to-day.

T. F. Wilson, of the Southern, was elected chief conductor, with G. H. Gavin, of the Seaboard Air Line, as assistant; M. G. Jones, of the Seaboard, legislative committeeman, and J. D. Morgan, of the Seaboard Air Line, representative to the grand division to meet in Brooklyn next May.

Among the most distinguished guests who responded to toasts at the banquet were J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State; B. R. Lacy, State Treasurer; Chief Justice Walter Clark, of the Supreme Court, and J. M. Shay, superintendent of the Seaboard second division.

## THE LATEST INTERNATIONAL MARRIAGE



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THE ELKINS HOME, AT ELKINS, W. VA.

## News of Petersburg

Times-Dispatch Bureau,  
103 North Spotswood Street,  
Petersburg, Va., November 8.

The first hunt given by the Riverside Hunt Club yesterday afternoon, starting from the kennels on the grounds of the Riverside Club, in Dinwiddie county, was a very successful and enjoyable affair. The hunt was under the direction of Mr. Roy Adamson, M. F. H., as huntmaster.

Among the riders were Roy Adamson, on Pantaloon; Dr. H. G. Leigh, whip, on Lucy Douglass; R. R. Percival, whip, on White Ghost; S. M. Green, Jr., on Bar Tray; Duncan Wright, on Belle Fleur; Miss Della Bryan, on Moonlight; George W. Harrison, on Dynamite; Frank Plummer, on Hunter Rye; Leu Roy Jones, on Lady Hope; and E. B. Snyder on Her Grace, all good hunters and jumpers. The riders wore the pink uniform of the club, and presented a handsome appearance. The hounds ran and bunched well, and the horses passed over various jumps in good style. A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen greeted the riders at the clubhouse on their return, and tea was served.

**Preachers En Route.**  
The Methodist preachers and lay delegates of the Petersburg district will leave here on Tuesday to attend the Virginia Annual Conference, which meets in Norfolk on Wednesday. There will be very few changes in the pastorate in the Petersburg district this year, probably one in the city and one in Matoaca. The churches of Petersburg have had a prosperous year, and will make a good showing in the reports to conference. There has been an increase in membership and in the Sunday schools, and all financial obligations have been met promptly.

At a meeting of the board of stewards of Washington Street Church last night the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The spiritual state of our church has shown a steady improvement under the pastorate of the Rev. J. B. Winn, and under his guidance and inspiration we have undertaken large things for Washington Street Church; and whereas, the success of these plans is largely dependent upon his continued guidance and inspiring preaching; therefore,

Resolved, That we respectfully request our presiding elder to use every

Otto Foelker



The New York State Senator, who arose from a sickbed to go to Albany last spring and cast the deciding ballot, which made possible the passage of Governor Hughes' antitrust-truck-busting laws, was elected to Congress from the Third District (Brooklyn) as a Republican.

Its regular monthly meeting this afternoon in the Second Church. The attendance was large, and the reports from the various schools encouraging. A feature of the meeting was the discussion by laymen and pastors of interesting matters relative to Sunday school work.

**Mr. Moody Improving.**  
The condition of Major A. F. Moody is so much improved to-day that his friends are more hopeful about him.

## A STATE COLONY FOR EPILEPTICS

Lynchburg Commercial Bodies to Urge Establishment of One Immediately.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, VA., November 8.—A delegation consisting of a committee from the Retail Merchants' Association, together with a committee of the Amherst county Board of Supervisors and the Senators and Delegates from Lynchburg and Amherst county, will go to Staunton next Wednesday to appear before the General Hospital Board to advocate immediate action as to the establishment of the epileptic colony in Amherst county, opposite the city.

The board decided last summer to defer action until after the next General Assembly, and it is believed here that this was done in order to get authority to establish the colony in Staunton instead of Amherst county, as required by the present law. It is believed here that this conference will result in steps being taken at once by the State looking to the erection of the necessary buildings, for which about \$40,000 is already available.

## COTTON-GROWERS

Will Meet in Memphis and Thoroughly Discuss the Situation.

MEMPHIS, TENN., November 8.—Cotton growers, ginners and those who are allied will meet in mass-meeting here this week to discuss the present downward tendency of spot cotton and the night rider situation in the South, and agree as to remedial measures.

The Governors of a half-dozen or more States will be present, and will lend their active support toward making the cotton convention one of the most important gatherings of its kind ever held in the South. Advice from President Harvie Jordan, of the Southern Cotton Association, who called the conference, indicate the attendance will be large from all the Southern States. Mr. Jordan is expected to arrive in Memphis Monday to take active charge of the arrangements.

Among those who will address the meeting will be Governor Patterson, of Tennessee; Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma; former Governor Vardaman, of Mississippi; and J. A. Taylor, president of the National Ginners' Association, whose subject will be "Night Riding in the South."

## VIOLATION OF ELECTION LAWS

Special Grand Jury Is to Be Impaneled Soon at Clintwood.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREELING, VA., November 8.—Arrangements are being made to have some alleged election irregularities investigated by a special grand jury, to be impaneled at the November term of Judge Skeen's court at Clintwood. It is said that counterfeit ballots were in evidence at the Lick Fork voting precinct, in the upper end of this county. It would seem that parties having such ballots in their possession intended to vote upon them by having them marked by their friends, they themselves being illiterate, and when they should go to the voting booths to secure official ballots, which they would conceal in their pockets, and hand their counterfeit ballots, previously marked, to the election judges. The judges at the Lick Fork precinct secured two of these ballots, which they are keeping to present to the grand jury.

This investigation is to be made under section 122 of the election laws, which provides for the printing of the official ballots, and prescribes the oath to be taken by the printer of such ballots, in which he swears to destroy all imperfect impressions, to print no more than the number required by the electoral board, and to immediately distribute the form from which they are printed, and not to communicate to anyone the contents or size of the ballots.

Any violation of this section is deemed a misdemeanor, and is punishable by a fine of \$200 and imprisonment one month in the county jail. The counterfeit ballots secured by the election judges at Lick Fork are exactly like the official ballots, except that the seal of the electoral board and the several numbers are wanting. The official ballots were printed at the job department of the Clintwood Journal office, which is owned and controlled by Republicans.

It is also alleged that parties at the election at the Clintwood precinct violated section 144 of the election laws by intimidating voters through the offering of money to vote for certain candidates, as against their intentions.

## MAY CONNECT WITH VIRGINIAN LINE

Active negotiations are said to be under way on the part of interests identified with the Toledo and Ohio Central Railway and the Kanawha and Michigan lines, which is controlled, for a traffic connection or a permanent consolidation with the Virginia Railway, the president of which is Henry H. Rogers, who also owns the road.

It is understood that conferences have been held on this matter in the last several weeks between the directors of the two properties. The proceedings have now approached a stage where a committee has been formed to consider the deal, the chairman of which is Frederick Underwood, president of the Ohio Central and also of the Kanawha and Michigan.

No indications have yet been received, however, that Mr. Rogers has proposed a consolidation. When Mr. Rogers began the construction of the Virginia Railway from his coal properties in West Virginia to Norfolk his idea was to continue his low grade railway line to the Ohio River and thence to Chicago.

His theory was that the modern railway should be the shortest route between large traffic centres and that no diversion should be made to connect with intermediate cities and towns for the purpose of obtaining local traffic.

Mr. Rogers and his associates in the Virginia Railway are said still to favor the original idea of a low grade air line, and not to regard with any enthusiasm a connection with existing lines which are run up to the standards of the Virginia Railway, which was constructed on ultra-modern lines.

As a traffic proposition pure and simple, without regard to the development of the new railway enterprise in the Middle States and also an outlet for its product to the Great Lakes, the two railroads are within a short distance of each other in West Virginia, so that a physical connection would be easily accomplished.

## MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Governor Hoke Smith Will Deliver Welcoming Address in Atlanta.

ATLANTA, GA., November 8.—The Southern Medical Association will meet in Atlanta November 10th, 11th and 12th. At the opening meeting Governor Hoke Smith will deliver the welcoming address on behalf of the city, and State, and Dr. J. C. Olmstead, of Atlanta, will welcome the visitors on behalf of the Atlanta Medical Association.

Among the social features of the convention will be a reception on Wednesday evening at the Piedmont Driving Club, given by the Atlanta Probationists.

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## LYNCHBURG IS TO VOTE ON LIQUOR

Has Attracted Little Attention, but the Vote Will Be Close.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, VA., November 8.—Although the local option is less than a month off the contest thus far has attracted less attention than was anticipated.

There has been much talk, of course, as to the probable result of the fight, but as yet neither side has shown its hand, and nothing has been done in a public way to indicate that either side is doing anything. The opinion as to the result seems to be about equally divided, and a forecast could hardly be made at this early date.

It is admitted very generally that the vote will be close, but that it will require an official count on December 5th to determine whether Lynchburg shall have liquor or not next year.

## COL. ROOSEVELT AS ROUGH WALKER

Tenderfoot and Gray-Haired Veterans of War College Called Out.

WASHINGTON, November 8.—Following the lead of the President of the United States, sixty members and fellows of the War College and the dignified heads of the general staff of the army trailed, climbed and scrambled through the wilds of Rook Creek Park yesterday. This was upon invitation of Colonel Roosevelt, rough walker.

Down at the War College, which he visited yesterday, he passed the word quietly that this was to be his busy day afield, and he asked every one who felt fit, and the rest who wanted to get fit, to come along. The expedition was a "rough walk." Boulder Bridge, a secluded spot. The course was indefinite. It was understood, however, that it was not to be a promenade, and that only rocks, rushing streams and thorny paths were to be expected on the way.

General Franklin Bell, chief of staff, gave fair warning: "Don't think this is a fancy dress picnic. Wear all your old clothes. Don't care how you look. None of us expect to look much. Be prepared to climb or swim."

Then the general stirred the spirit of adventure by telling them of an earlier experience on one of these walks with the President-colonel. He told of the time he found it up to him to tiptoe along a rock ledge high over Rook Creek, following the leader at a rapid clip. Above was a bare wall, to which they had to freeze their bodies to keep balance, and they had to depend on further support upon clinging to rough knobs of jutting stone. It was raining dogs and cats on that day, and the knobs being slippery, were a delusion and a snare.

This Mr. Roosevelt discovered at the first tight pass, and he advocated a warning and jumped back into the ample waters of the creek. A moment later General Bell followed.

From the meeting place to-day these two veterans of the chase led the tenderfoot of the War College and the white-haired fellows of the general staff even unto the doubtful ledge. This was a dry day, through the sunup and spring balm in the air, and the creek below did not look menacing to men in tough walking boots and old clothes.

President Roosevelt crossed first, General Bell next, and then, not to be outdone and in due order, as if at the head of their commands, trailed General Duval, General Witherspoon and General Murray, the four following the leader.

There was a great chaffing on the part of those who had passed over as recruits came along on the same stunt in a desperate struggle to keep their feet. Nearly fifty got by. The others called out, "Not for us," and took a long cut, and slid from crawling a dip of about 15 degrees, crawling up for seventy-five feet, or sliding back into the cool, bubbling creek, there was not much else to do on the tramp except beat through the brush in a rush to keep in sight of the leader. The expedition lasted two and a half hours. When it was done, the participants looked as if they had been in swimming with their clothes on, but they were only wringing wet with perspiration.

## AMUSEMENTS.

The Bijou—"The Fool House."

Four Huntings at Bijou. The Huntings, who come to the Bijou this week, bring a practically new production of their successful musical comedy, "The Fool House." The comedy, in fact, is almost completely new. New costumes and scenery, an enlarged chorus and other features have been provided by the management this year. The four Huntings—Lew, Tony, Mollie and John—have always been favorites at the Bijou, and this season they are making more friends than ever before. "The Fool House" is in two acts, and the action is rapid. In addition to the introduction of new songs by Lew Hunting, the chorus will indulge in special singing and dancing numbers that are bewildering in their intricacy and speed. Special care was taken in the selection of good looks who could dance as well as sing.

## CANDIDATES IN COAL REGION



THOMAS D. NICHOLLS.

JOHN R. FAIRR.

Mr. Nicholls is president of District No. 1, United Mine Workers, and represents his district in Pennsylvania in Congress. First returns led to the belief that he had been defeated, but it now seems that he has been elected.